May 18, 1981

Mrs. Thella Yourgrau

Dear Mrs. Yourgrau:

I have read your letter of May 7 with a great deal of interest and I share your frustration in the efforts to extract your husband's records from the files of the CIA. I am sure you are aware that the Freedom of Information Act has placed an unreasonable burden upon all government agencies who really lack the funds to provide the services that the Act requires. I think we can also assume that with the Reagan Administration budget cuts the time lag in extracting information from the various agencies will increase. It would seem though that your wait of two years is unreasonable.

My brother is personally acquainted with Mr. Casey, the Director of the CIA, and I have requested him to forward your letter and correspondence to Mr. Casey for his personal consideration. Let's hope that this will get the job done.

With my very warm regards, I remain

Cordially,

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